NOV 2 4 2003 Amorney Docker No.: P3277.D1

28534

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Tomohiro Makigaki, et al.

Group Art Unit:

2853

Serial No.:

10/026,315

Examiner:

Blaise L. Mouttet

Filed:

December 20, 2001

Title:

Ejection Device, Inkjet Head, Method of Forming Nozzle for Ejection Device and

Method of Manufacturing Inkjet Head

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this transmittal and documents referred to as being enclosed are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as "First Class" mail with sufficient postage in an envelope addressed to Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on this date.

Date: November 18, 2003

Ann.Hr George

AMENDMENT A TRANSMITTAL LETTER AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (IF REQUIRED)

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. BOX 1450 ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee is calculated as shown below:

Claims Remaining After Am	Highest # Previously Paid For	# Extra	Rate	Additional Fee	
Total Claims:	9	21		\$18.00	\$
Independent Claims:	3	5		\$86.00	\$
1st Presentation of			\$290.00	\$	
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$

		TOTAL	ADDITIONAL FEE FO	OR THIS AMEND	MENT \$	
\boxtimes	No additional fee is requi	red.				
☒ .	Applicant(s) petition for number of months check		under 37 CFR 1.130	6 (fees: 37 CFR	R 1.17(a)-(d)	for the total
		Extension (Mont One (1) Month Two (2) Months Three (3) Month Four (4) Months	\$11 \$42 s \$95 \$148	e Entity 10.00 20.00 50.00 30.00	TECHNOLOGY CE	RECEIV
\boxtimes	If an extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor together with authorization to design to the desig					
	Relative to response to the Final Office Action, an extension for months has afready been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months Eextension now requested.					
	Applicant believes that r provide for the possibility time.		advertently overlooke		a petition for	

01 FC:1251

110.00 DA

	Enclosed is an Information Disclosure Statement together with Form PTO-1449 and a copy of reference(s):				
		Enclosed is a certification under	37 CFR 1.97(e).		
		The Commissioner is hereby aut Account No. 19-2746.	horized to charge the fee of \$180.00 under 37 CFR 1.17(p) to Deposit		
	Enclos	ed is a Request To Amend The Dr	awings and a copy of Fig.		
	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees during the pendency of this application or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 19-2746.				
	\boxtimes	Any additional filing fees required Any patent application processin			
	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 19-2746.				
	\boxtimes	Any additional filing fees required Any patent application processing			
	Enclos	ed is a Submission Under 37 CFR	§1.129(a).		
	Enclosed is a Terminal Disclaimer And Certificate Under 37 CFR §3.73(b). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee of \$110.00 under 37 CFR 1.20(d) to Deposit Account No. 19-2746. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed.				
	Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-2746 the sum of \$110.00. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter enclosed.				
Date:	Novem	nber 18, 2003	Respectfully Submitted,		
			. Mark O. Water		
			Mark P. Watson		
			Registration No. 31,448		

Please address all correspondence to: Epson Research and Development, Inc. Intellectual Property Department 150 River Oaks Parkway, Suite 225 San Jose, CA 95134 Telephone No.: (408) 952-6000 Facsimile: (408) 954-9058

Customer No. 20178